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TAGS: OREP (THURMOND, STROM)

SUBJ: CODEL THURMOND

REF: SINGAPORE 5034

1. APPOINTMENT FOR SENATOR THURMOND AND SENATOR SCOTT
TO CALL ON PRIME MINISTER LEE KUAN YEW CONFIRMED 1445 SUNDAY,
JANUARY 5. WE HAVE, THEREFORE, BLOCKED OUT TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR
CODEL AND ARE FORWARDING FOR ANY COMMENTS CODEL MAY WISH TO MAKE.

2. JANUARY 4

1855 - ARRIVAL AT SELETAR AIRPORT. MET BY AMBASSADOR AND MRS.
CRONK. PROCEED TO HOTEL. EVENING FREE.

JANUARY 5 (A.M. OPTIONAL)

0900 - BOAT TOUR: INTERESTED CODEL MEMBERS DEPART HOTEL FOR
CLIFFORD PIER. DRESS: SPORT SHIRT.

(0915-1015) - BOAT TOUR OF SINGAPORE HARBOR. EMBASSY PARTY
ACCOMPANYING ARE: AMBASSADOR AND MRS. CRONK, MR. AND MRS. GERALD
STRYKER (PAO) AND CAPT. AND MRS JAMES GAMMON (NAVAL ATTACHE).

1030 - DEPART TANJONG BELAYER PIER FOR HOTEL.

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1100 - ARRIVE HOTEL, CHANGE CLOTHES AND CHECK OUT; DRESS: MEN -

DARK SUIT AND TIE; WOMEN - DAYTIME DRESS.

1145 - ENTIRE CODEL DEPART HOTEL FOR AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE.

(1200-1230) - COUNTRY TEAM BRIEFING AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE.
EMBASSY PARTICIPANTS: AMBASSADOR CRONK; MR. GERALD STRYKER, PUBLIC
AFFAIRS OFFICER; COL. RUDOLPH W. KOGAN , DEFENSE ATTACHE;
MR. ELEAZAR A. WILLIAMS, POLITICAL ATTACHE; AND MR. CHARLES S.
AHLGREN, COMMERCIAL ATTACHE.

(1230-1430) - LUNCHEON WITH COUNTRY TEAM AT RESIDENCE, HOSTED BY
AMBASSADOR AND MRS. CRONK.

1430-1445 - SENATOR THURMOND AND SENATOR SCOTT ACCOMPANIED BY AM-
BASSADOR CRONK DEPART FOR ISTANA, FOR CALL ON PM LEE.

(1445-1545) - MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER LEE KUAN YEW.

1600 - ENTIRE CODEL, RENDEVOUS AT RESIDENCE.

1615 - CODEL DEPARTS FOR SELECTAR AIRPORT.

1700 - CODEL DEPARTS SINGAPORE FOR JAKARTA.

3. SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR MRS. THURMOND AND MRS. SCOTT: IF MRS.
THURMOND AND MRS. SCOTT WISH TO DO SHOPPING WHILE SENATORS ARE
CALLING ON PRIME MINISTER, ESCORTS AND CARS CAN BE PROVIDED. AL-
TERNATIVELY, AS SUNDAY SHOPPING IS RATHER LIMITED, MRS. THURMOND,
MRS. SCOTT, MAJOR MILLER AND MR. KENNEY MIGHT ENJOY A SWIM IN THE
AMBASSADOR'S POOL AFTER LUNCH. OTHER ACTIVITIES CAN ALSO BE
ARRANGED FOR THE MORNING IN LIEU OF BOAT TRIP IF DESIRED.

4. DUE TO FLOOD DAMAGE TO HILTON POWER SYSTEM, HOTEL
RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN CHANGED TO SINGAPORE HYATT.

5. GUEST LIST FOR AMBASSADOR'S LUNCHEON IN ADDITION TO ENTIRE
CODEL INCLUDES MEMBERS OF COUNTRY TEAM INVOLVED IN BRIEFING AND
THEIR WIVES.
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